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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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POLYMER-SUPPORTED ARENE-  
RUTHENIUM COMPLEX, CATALYST  
THEREOF, AND ORGANIC SYNTHESIS  
METHOD USING THE SAME

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: MAIL STOP: AMENDMENT

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RESPONSE THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated February 15, 2007, wherein restriction has been required, Applicant hereby elects the invention identified as Group I (Claims 1-9).

Further, election of a single disclosed species has been required and, accordingly, Applicant hereby elects polymer-supported arene-ruthenium complex (3a) in Example 1 (pages 9 and 10) of the present specification, as a single disclosed species.

Favorable action on the merits is now requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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